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Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (b) in the name of inventors: Thomas A. Love, which claims the benefit of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 to co-pending U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/263,452, filed January 24, 2000.

For: PRESSED CERAMIC FIBER BOARD AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

Application Elements:

- ☑ 17 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract
- ☑ 03 Sheets of informal Drawings
- ☑ 02 Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

Accompanying Application Parts:

- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)
- ☑ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
 - ☑ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☑ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☑ Applicant Claims Small Entity Status Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.27
- ☐ Other:

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Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

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BASIC FEE				\$370 = \$ 370	OR	\$740 = \$
TOTAL CLAIMS	33	-20=	13	X09 = \$ 117	OR	\$18 = \$
INDEP CLAIMS	7	-03=	4	X42 = \$168	OR	\$84 = \$
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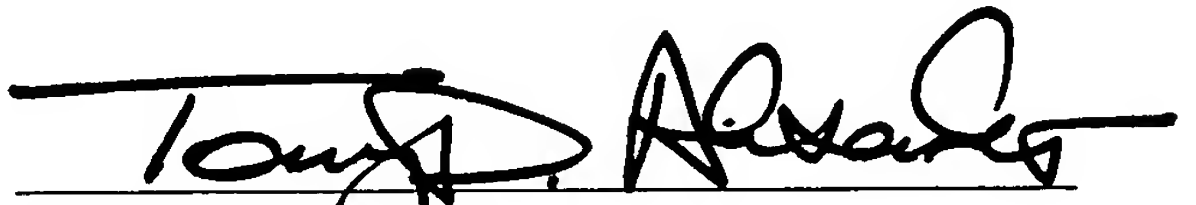
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